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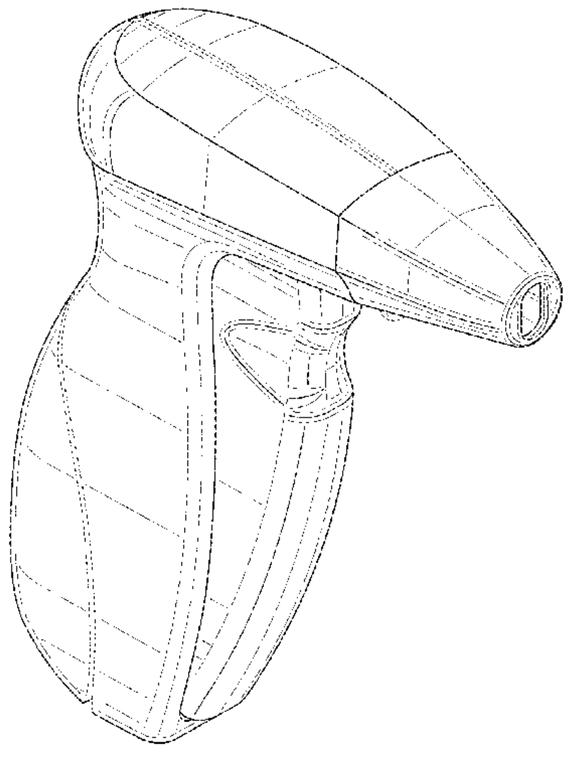

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a fastening apparatus, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. **1** is a front, top, right perspective view of a first embodiment of a fastening apparatus, showing my new design;
FIG. **2** is a front view of the fastening apparatus of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **3** is a rear view of the fastening apparatus of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **4** is a right side view of the fastening apparatus of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **5** is a left side view of the fastening apparatus of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **6** is a top view of the fastening apparatus of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **7** is a bottom view of the fastening apparatus of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **8** is a front, top, right perspective view of a second embodiment of a fastening apparatus that appears identical to FIG. **1** but showing the finger recess in the trigger in broken lines without shading, wherein the front view, rear view, right side view, left side view, top view and bottom view of the second embodiment of the fastening apparatus would appear identical FIGS. **2-7**, respectively, but also showing the finger recess in the trigger in FIGS. **2**, **4**, **5** and **7** in broken lines and without shading;
FIG. **9** is a front, top, right perspective view of a third embodiment of a fastening apparatus that appears identical to FIG. **1** but showing the aperture in the cap in broken lines without shading, wherein the front view, rear view, right side view, left side view, top view and bottom view of the second embodiment of the fastening apparatus would appear identical FIGS. **2-7**, respectively, but also showing the aperture in the cap in FIG. **2** in broken lines and without shading; and,
FIG. **10** is a front, top, right perspective view of a fourth embodiment of a fastening apparatus that appears identical to FIG. **1** but showing the finger recess in the trigger and the aperture in the cap in broken lines without shading, wherein the front view, rear view, right side view, left side view, top view and bottom view of the second embodiment of the fastening apparatus would appear identical FIGS. **2-7**, respectively, but also showing the finger recess in the trigger in FIGS. **2**, **4**, **5** and **7** in broken lines and without shading and the aperture in the cap in FIG. **2** in broken lines without shading.
The unshaded regions demarcated by one or more broken lines or a combination of one or more broken and solid lines in FIGS. **1-10** represent unclaimed portions that form no part of the claimed design. The shaded regions of FIGS. **1-10** represent surface shape only and do not represent any particular material or color. Unless otherwise described

above, the broken lines in all the figures are provided for environmental purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

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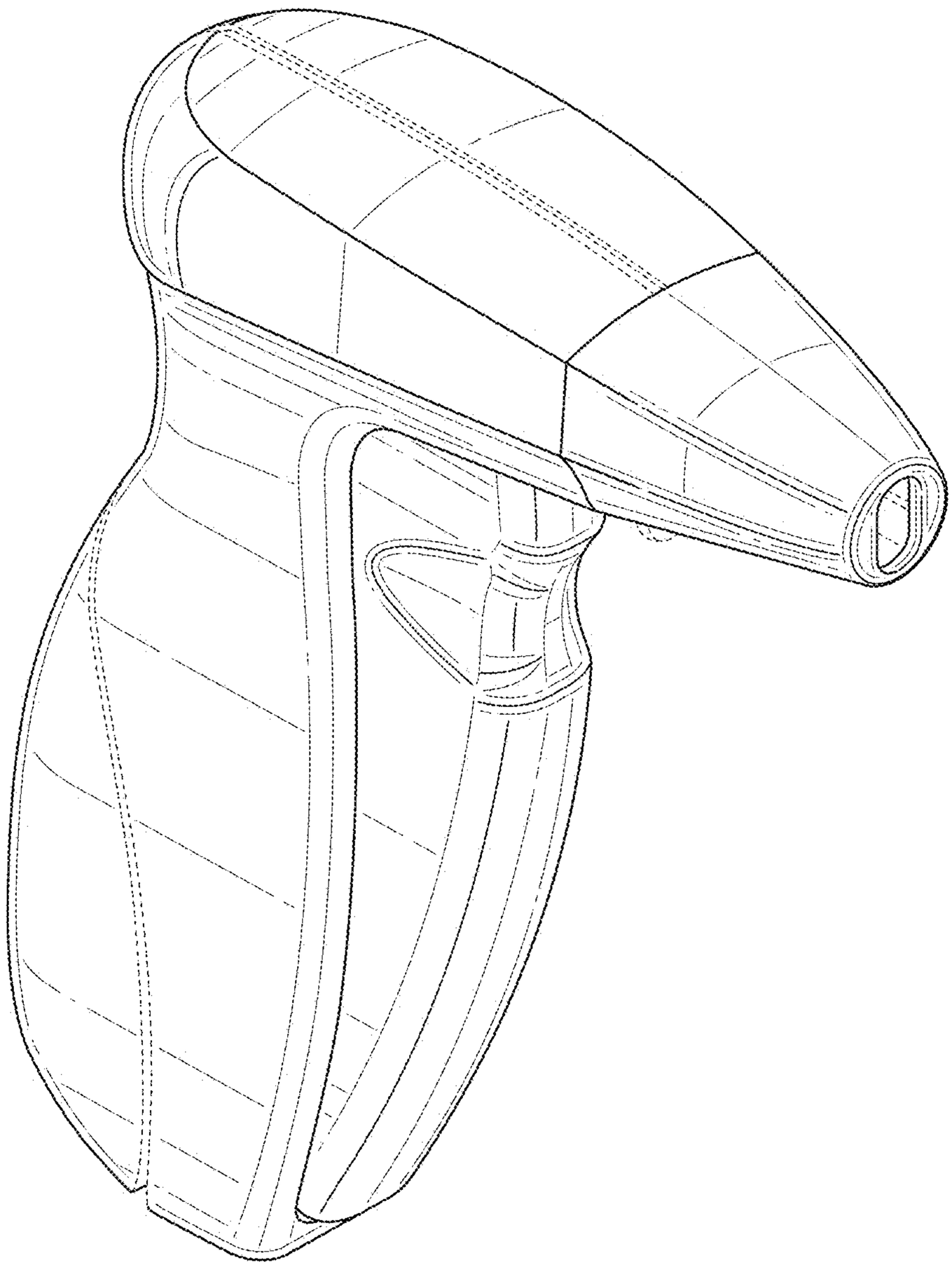

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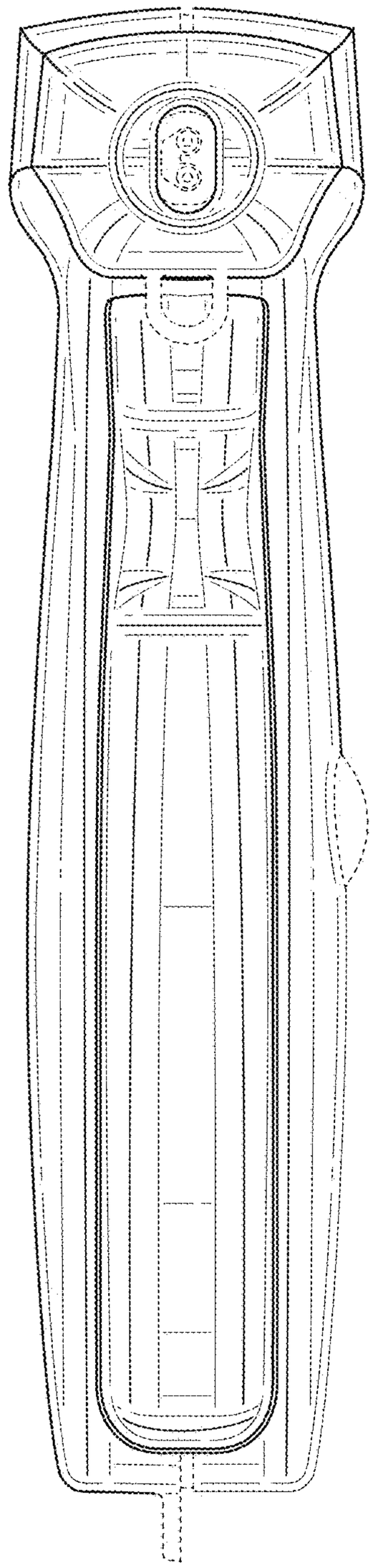

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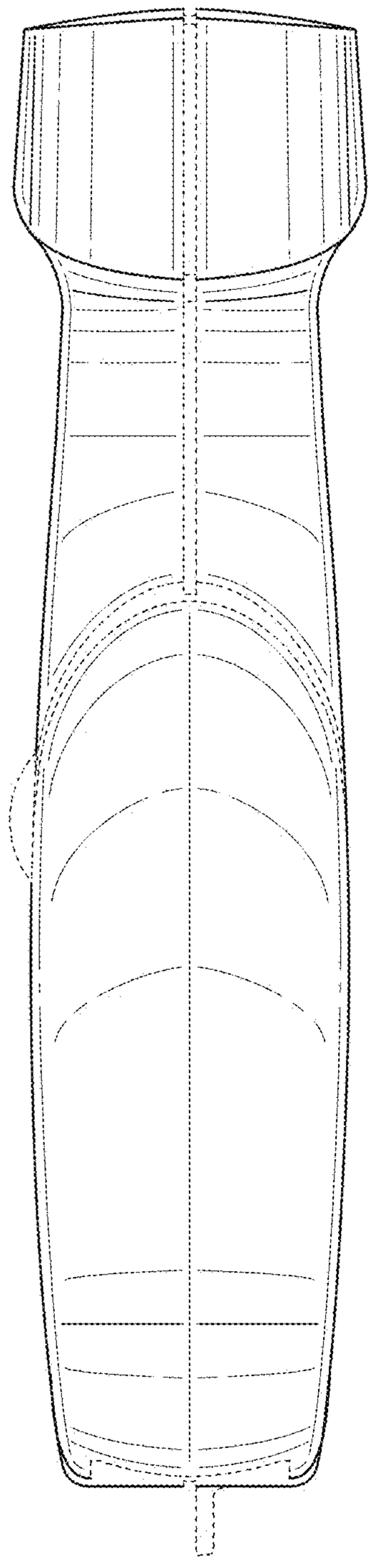

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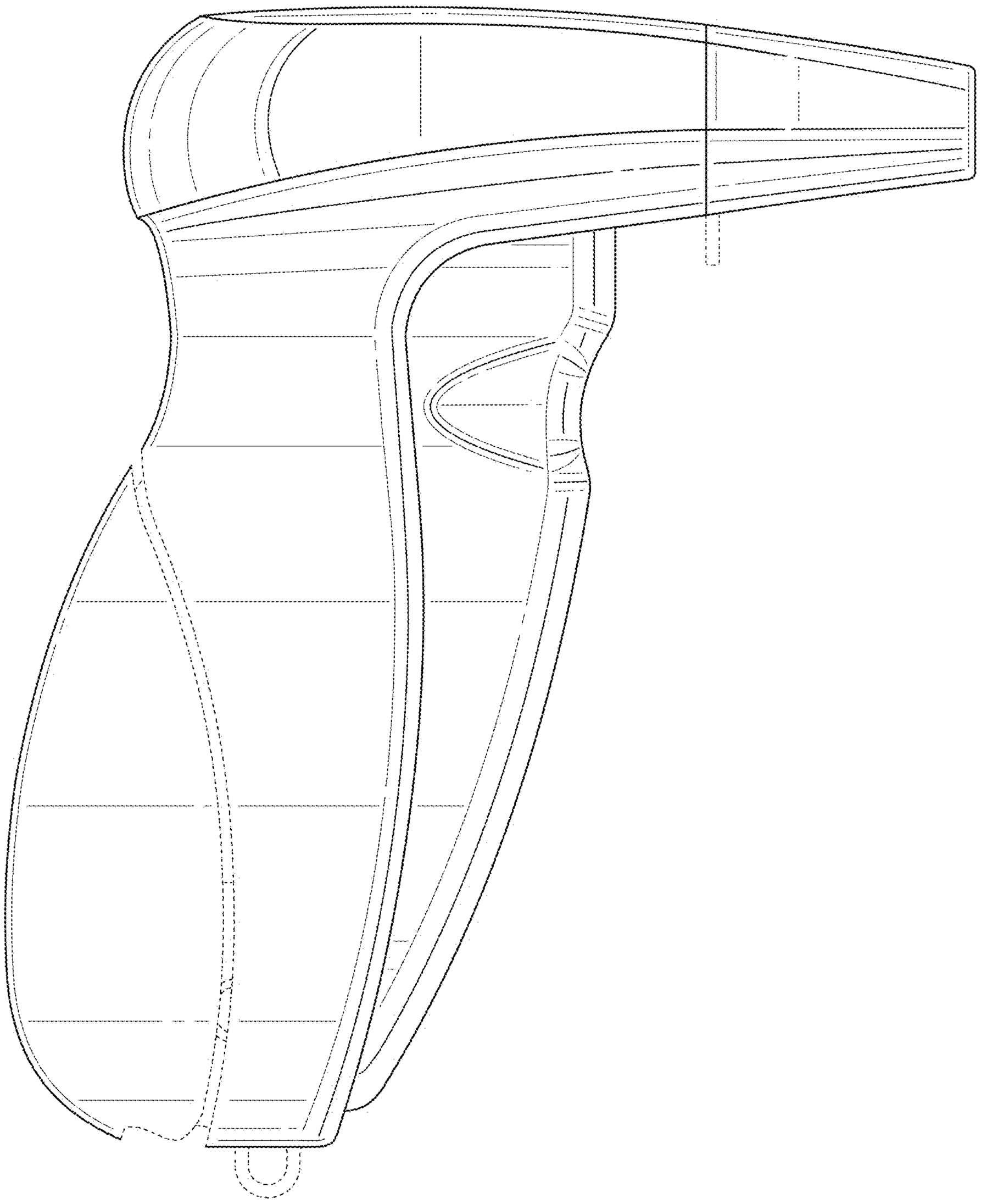

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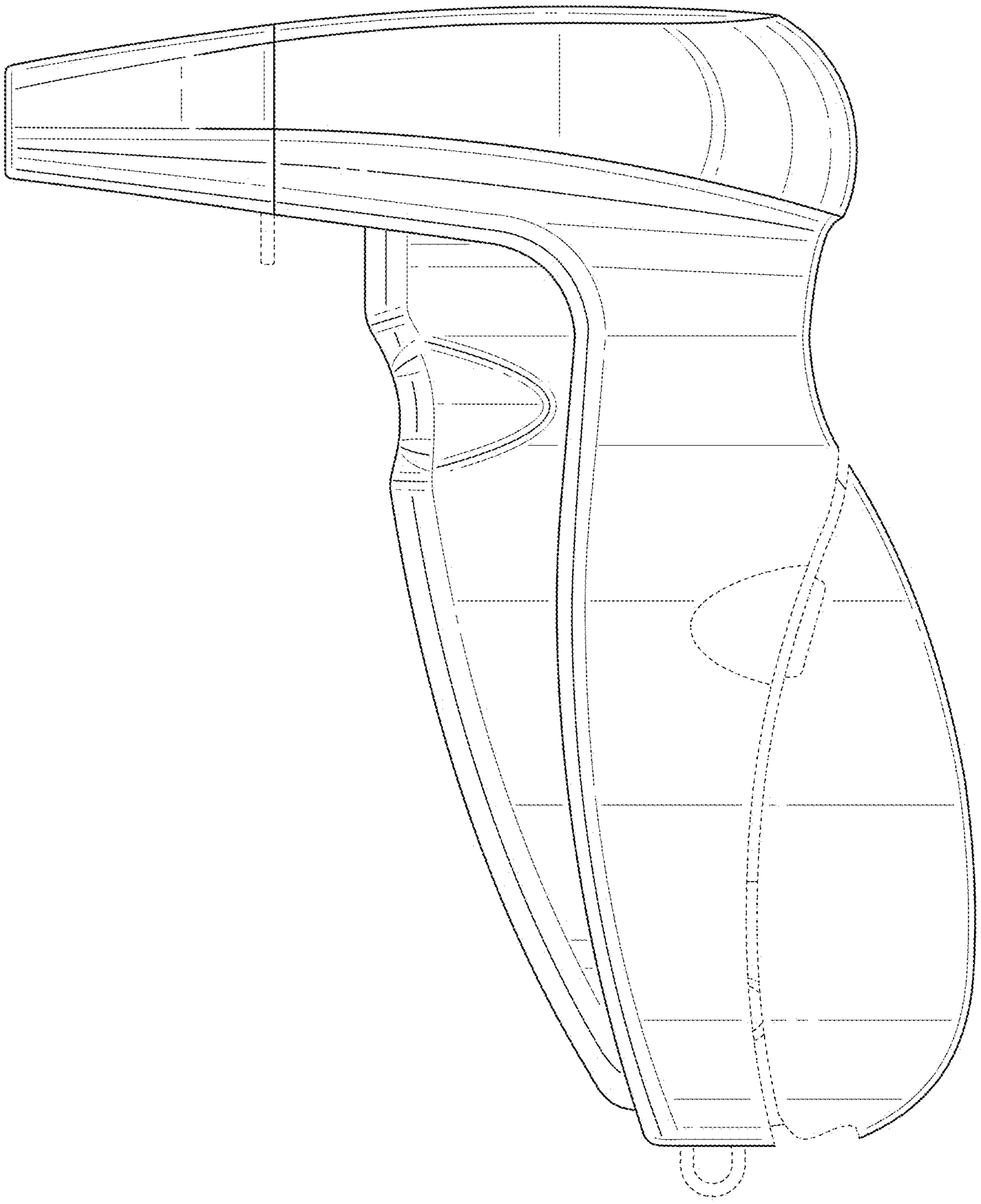

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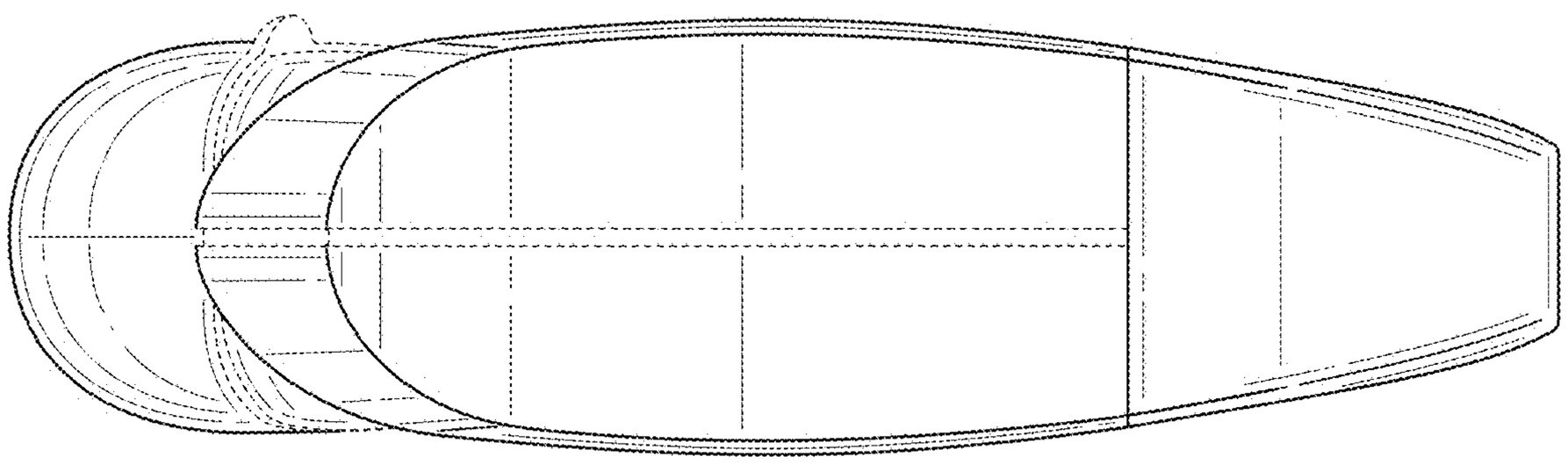

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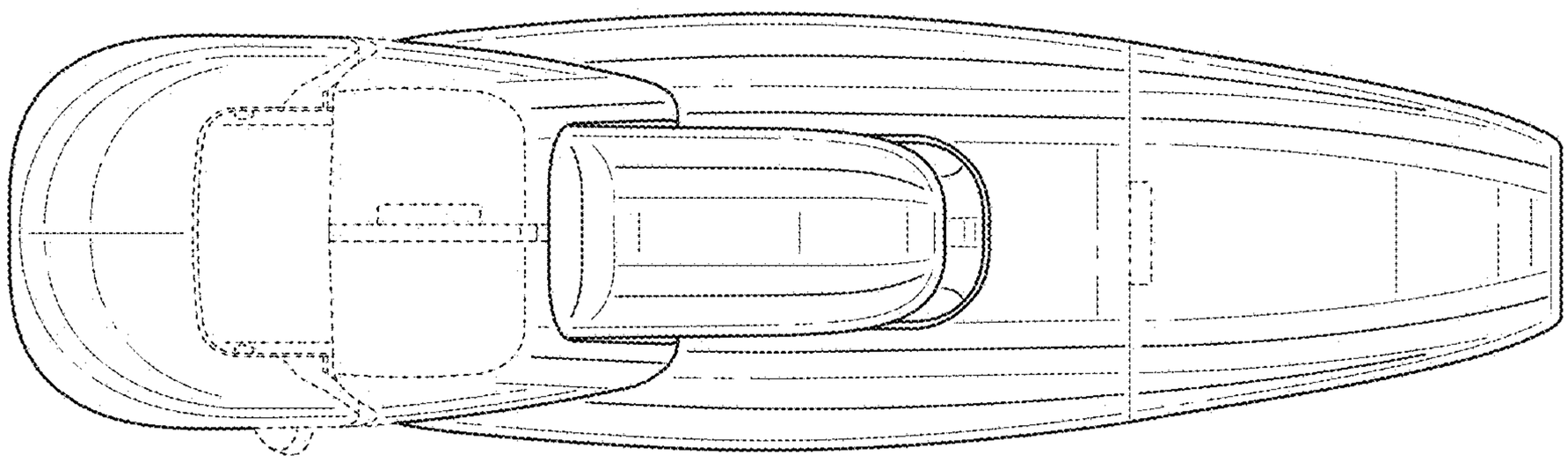

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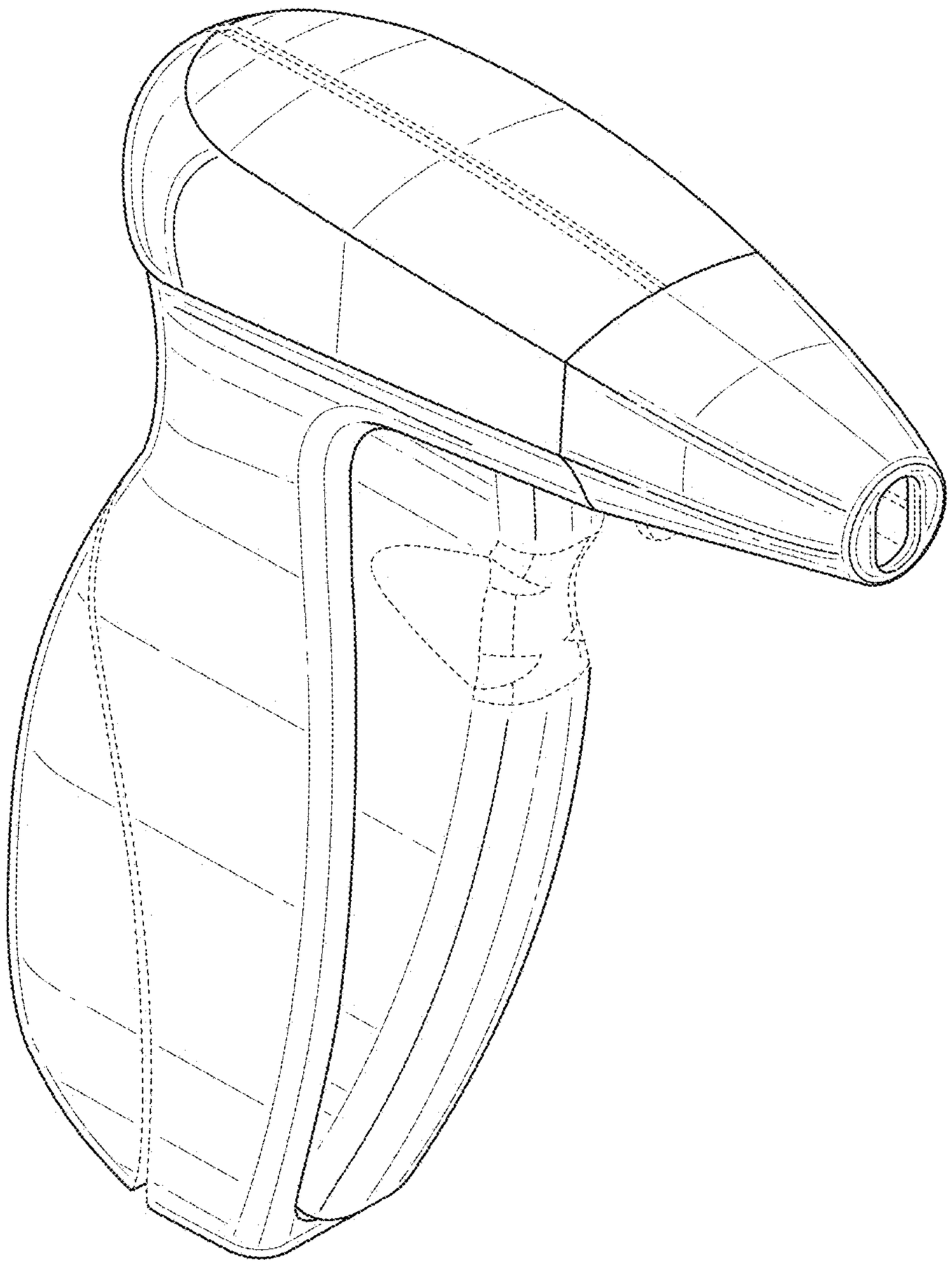

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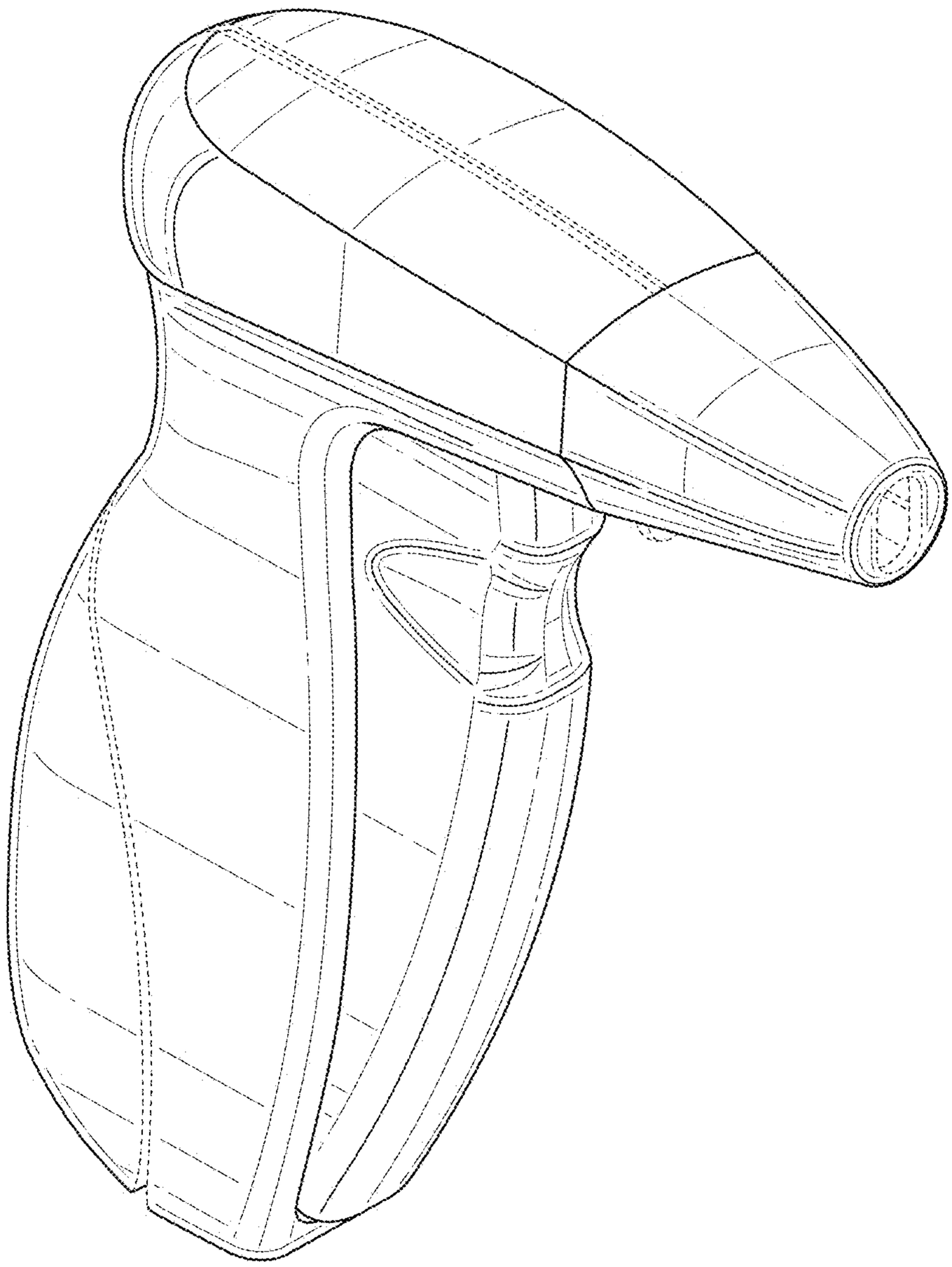

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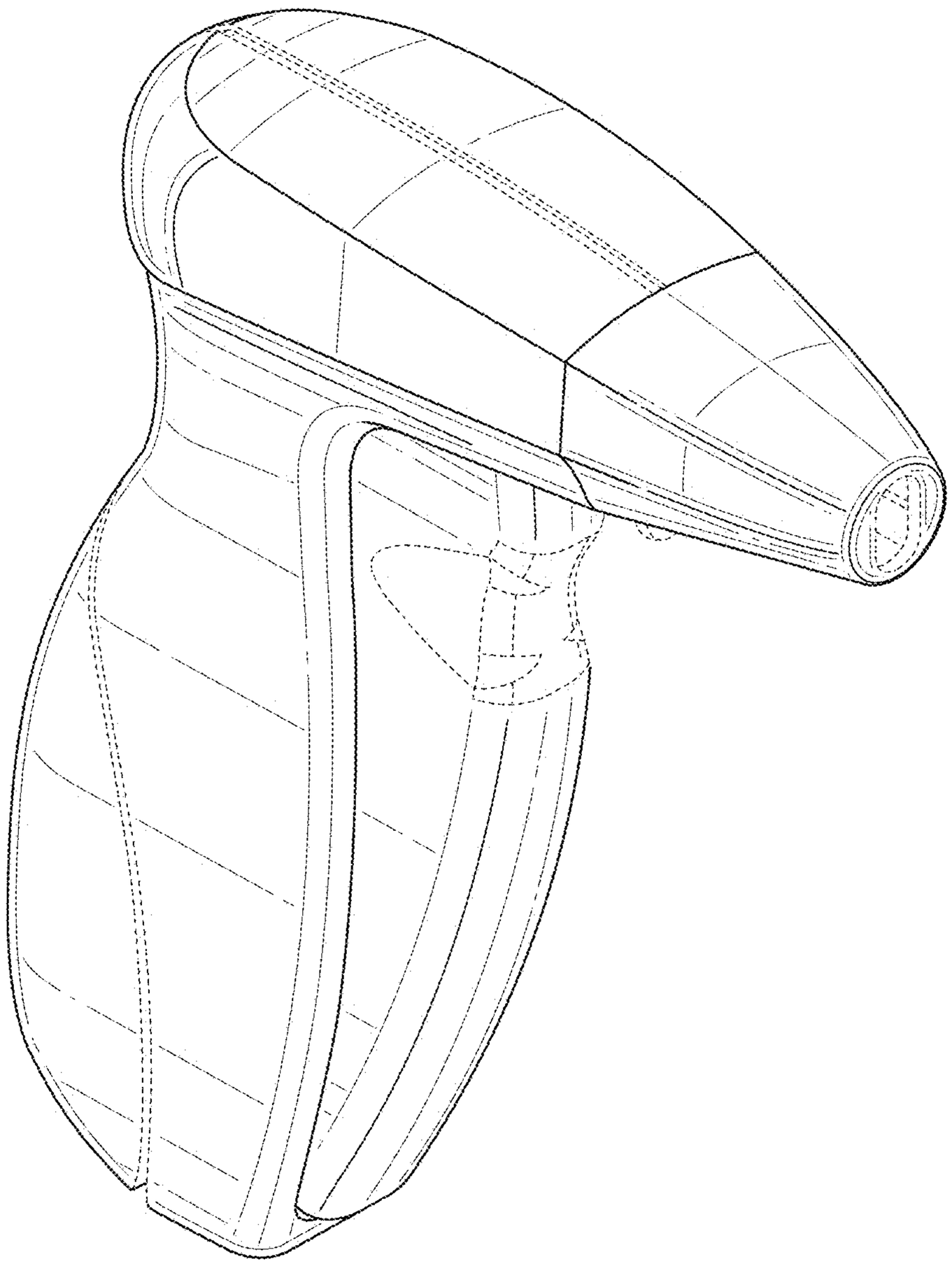

FIG. 10